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## Dr. Cholvin

Dr. Neal R. Cholvin (MSU '54) has been appointed as Chairman of the Department of Veterinary Anatomy, Pharmacology and Physiology at the College of Veterinary Medicine at Iowa State University.

Dr. Cholvin received a B.S. in Chemistry from Wayne State University in 1949, and the D.V.M. degree in 1954 and a M.S. degree in Surgery and Medicine in 1958 from Michigan State University. In 1961 he received a Ph.D. from Iowa State with a major in veterinary physiology, and minors in electrical engineering and veterinary anatomy. Since 1963 he has been serving as Professor and Chairman of the Biomedical Engineering Program in the College of Veterinary Medicine at Iowa State University.

He is a member of the American Society of Veterinary Physiologists and Pharma-

cologists, the American Society for Artificial Internal Organs, the Iowa Heart Association (where he is presently serving as Chairman of the Research Committee), the Michigan V.M.A., the Iowa V.M.A., and the A.V.M.A.

Dr. Cholvin has published over 30 scientific articles in the areas of cardiopulmonary physiology, hemodynamics, artificial internal organs and experimental surgery. He is presently serving on the Task Force on Ovulation Detection for the World Health Organization's Program on Human Reproduction.

## *Class of '76*

Linda Kelley married Jack Schlater May 24.

Marge Swenson married James Claxton June 8.

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# *ALUMNI NEWS*

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## Stange Awards for Meritorious Service in Veterinary Medicine

DONALD J. CASEY, D.V.M. 1959  
Carroll, Iowa

Dr. Casey's talent for leadership was recognized by his classmates as evidenced by his being elected president of the Student Chapter of the American Veterinary Medical Association and winner of the G. G. Graham Award for excellence in clinical medicine. Since graduation from Iowa State, Dr. Casey has been an active

practitioner at Carroll, Iowa. He has somehow found time to serve on numerous civic and community boards and committees. Dr. Casey has hosted many foreign veterinarians in his home and in his veterinary practice. His efforts with visitors from South America were instrumental in the development of a program to improve Venezuelan swine production through the use of special breeding stock from the United States.

A. W. KRAUSE, D.V.M. 1937  
Cherokee, Iowa

Following graduation he entered private practice in Cherokee, Iowa. He has been very active in Veterinary Associations, serving as president of the Coon Valley Interstate and Iowa Veterinary Medical Associations. He is presently Chairman of the State Board of Veterinary Medical Examiners. He has been active in his church and many civic organizations. Dr. Krause was active in athletics as a student at Iowa State and was a catcher on the varsity baseball team for three years. He continues to be a strong supporter of many Iowa State programs.

JOHN G. SALSBUURY, 1938, D.V.M. 1940  
Charles City, Iowa

Through 34 years of dedicated and distinguished service, Dr. John Salsbury has brought prestige and recognition to his family, his community, his profession, and his Alma Mater. John joined his father in the family firm, Salsbury Laboratories, Charles City, Iowa in 1940 and advanced to chairman in 1971. He is also president of several Salsbury subsidiaries located in the U.S., Canada, Mexico and England. He is an outstanding administrator, a counselor, a friend and an ambassador of good will for his profession and Iowa State University.

MARGARET W. SLOSS, B.S. 1923, M.S.  
1932, D.V.M. 1938  
Ames, Iowa

The biography of Dr. Charles Henry Stange by M. W. Sloss reflects the great admiration and respect that she held for this outstanding dean and educator, and it is most befitting for her to be the recipient of the Stange Award. For 50 years (1922–1972) Dr. Sloss gave unselfishly of her time and efforts to Iowa State University. During this half century she had a key role in the professional development and maturity of our College of Veterinary Medicine. She was an excellent teacher and is a known authority in veterinary clinical pathology and parasitology. Professional, honorary, and social organizations have recognized her talents and nu-

merous contributions throughout the years. In 1940 the Women's Centennial Congress listed Dr. Sloss as one of the 100 women following successfully professional careers. Few have contributed more to the community, state and university. None have championed the cause of "women in the veterinary medical profession" more profoundly or sincerely than Dr. Sloss.

## Dr. Meginnis Honored

The American Association of Equine Practitioners (AAEP) at its 19th annual meeting in Atlanta, Georgia, December 10–12, 1973, awarded a Distinguished Life Membership to Dr. Paul J. Meginnis (I.S.U. '31). Dr. Meginnis was a charter member of the AAEP during its first meeting in 1955 at Chicago and was a strong force in early organizational meetings. He has served the AAEP as an Executive Board member in addition to being Chairman for several committees and an active program participant and contributor. Dr. Meginnis spent many years in equine practice in Illinois, was a faculty member at the College of Veterinary Medicine at the University of Illinois and for several years served as State Veterinarian for the Illinois State Racing Commission.

## Dr. Melcher Honored

The Intermountain Veterinary Medical Association, at its 46th annual meeting, March 4–7, 1974, in Las Vegas, Nevada, adopted a resolution recognizing Dr. John Melcher (I.S.U. '50), U.S. Congressman from Montana, as a guiding force and continuous stimulus in Congress for the benefit of the veterinary medical profession and the U.S. livestock industry. Appreciation was expressed for Dr. Melcher's efforts toward promoting the health and welfare of the nation's animal populations. Dr. Melcher received a Stange Award for meritorious service in veterinary medicine in 1973 from Iowa State University.

## *Class of 1964*

**Dr. David H. Nelson** has been in a mixed practice in Council Bluffs since January, 1967 with associates Dr. Richard Nelson (ISU '56), Dr. Ian Hobbs (KSU '66), and Dr. Don King (ISU '69). After graduation Dr. Nelson joined Dr. James Thone in Blair, Nebraska, and in 1965 and 1966 was stationed at the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology in Washington, D.C. Dr. Nelson and his wife Joyce have two children, Diahn, 8; and Karen, one year. He is on the Council Bluffs Board of Health, member of the IVMA, AVMA, and associate member of the Iowa Association of Pathologists.

**Dr. James A. Straley**, his wife and three children (Jim—9, Mike—7, Christine—4) are presently living in Kingsport, Tennessee. Dr. Straley is engaged in a small animal clinic with associate Dr. G. D. Andes. He is member and past president of the Appalachian Veterinary Medical Society, member of the Tennessee VMA, AVMA, and AAHA.

**Dr. Arthur A. Anderson** has been involved primarily in research since graduation. From 1964–66 he was stationed at the U.S. Biological Warfare Lab., Ft. Detrick, Maryland. He received his M.S. in 1969 and Ph.D. in 1971 from the University of Wisconsin. Since 1971 he has been investigating serological crossreactions between bovine enteroviruses and foot and mouth disease virus at Plum Island Animal Disease Center, Greenport, New York. He and his wife, Lucille, and children (Kurt—10 and Bryan—9) live in Southold, New York.

**Dr. Virgil M. Petty** has been engaged in an exclusively small animal practice in Pekin, Illinois since graduation. He built a new hospital in Peoria in 1969. His associate Dr. G. L. Henriksen (Ill. '68) is

practicing there. Dr. Petty is active in the Illinois Veterinary Medical Association, AVMA, Mississippi Valley VMA, Tri-County Veterinary Association, and AAHA. Dr. Petty, his wife, Patricia, and two children, LeAnn and Jary, enjoy skiing and training dogs.

**Dr. Bernard R. Hecht** served two years in the U.S. Army at Ft. Detrick, Maryland after graduation. From 1966 until 1972 he was employed by Hoffmann-LaRoche pharmaceutical company as Veterinary Manager of their Animal Health Research Experiment Station. Since 1972 Dr. Hecht, his wife, Gloria, and son, Jason, have been traveling in Europe, Africa, and the U.S. The Hechts plan to travel to New Zealand and Australia in the next two years, after which Dr. Hecht will be engaged in a private research facility.

**Dr. John H. Miller** has been engaged in large animal practice since graduation. For eight years he was associated with Dr. R. M. Swasand (ISU '59) in Ackley, Iowa. Dr. Miller is now associated with Dr. W. B. Calhoun (ISU '43) and Dr. H. C. Nicoll (ISU '54) at Riceville, Iowa. He and his wife and children moved to Riceville in April, 1974. Dr. Miller is a member of the IVMA and the AVMA.

**Dr. David P. Lott** is presently engaged in a mixed practice in Tremont, Illinois along with his many national, state and local undertakings. Dr. Lott teaches an Animal Disease Program in three area high schools and the local Veterinary Science Project. He is a member of the AVMA, Illinois State VMA, as well as many other state and local associations. Dr. Dennis Blodgett (Ill. '74) joined his practice in June of 1974. Dr. Lott, his wife Sandra, and children (Heidi—9, Sara—8, David—6, Bryan—4) have become inter-

ested in beef breeding and production.

**Dr. James P. Grover**, his wife, and three children live in Hudson, Iowa. Dr. Grover has been in mixed practice there since 1965. He is currently serving on the executive board of the Eastern Iowa Veterinary Association.

**Dr. Stanley G. Moum**, his wife, Patricia, and children (Barbara—21, Eric—19, Paul—9, Peter—7) are now living in Rahway, New Jersey. Dr. Moum is currently the director of professional product development, animal science research, for Merck, Sharp, and Dohme Research Labs in Rahway. Since graduation he has been associated with Swift and Co. in Chicago and Clarksville, Arkansas, Vineland Laboratories, Vineland, N.J., and with Merck and Co., Salisbury, Maryland. Dr. Moum is a member of the Industrial Veterinarians Assoc., American Assoc. of Avian Pathologists, American Assoc. of Veterinary Nutritionists, and the AVMA.

Following graduation **Dr. Raymond A. Buelow** spent two years at Colorado State University, receiving a Master of Science degree in Veterinary Medicine. For one year he entered a group small animal practice in Mill Valley, California. In July, 1967 Dr. Buelow, his wife, Margaret, and children (Debbie 16, Douglas 14) moved to Santa Barbara, California where he purchased the small animal practice he is now engaged in.

**Dr. James W. Sievers**, his wife, Mari-grace, and children (Scott—13, Lori—11, and Beth—9) are presently living in Slater, Iowa where he is engaged in a mixed practice with his brother Dr. Donald W. Sievers (ISU '73). Dr. Sievers is a member of the IVMA and the AVMA.

**Dr. Arlen V. Zierke** is presently practicing in Hubbard, Iowa. Dr. Dennis Winter (ISU '73) is his associate in this mixed practice. Dr. Zierke and his wife, Sana, have three boys (Eric—10, Borge—8, and David—7). Dr. Zierke is a member of the Hardin County Veterinary Practitioners Association, IVMA, and AVMA.

**Dr. Keith C. Rolston** spent six months in a mixed practice in Grinnell, Iowa after graduation and then entered military service in January, 1965. He was stationed

at Walter Reed Army Institute of Research, Washington, D.C. In January, 1967 he joined a two-man mixed practice in Sheldon, Iowa where he now lives with his wife and four children.

**Dr. Richard Larsen** and his associates, Dr. Robert Redmann (Colo., '72), Dr. Elvin K. Prather (Kan., '52), and Dr. Darrel E. Johnson (Minn., '57), have a mixed practice in Manawa and Weyauwega, Wisconsin. Dr. Larsen and his wife, Ann, have five children; Cathy, 11; Tom, 9; Mary, 7; Kris, 5; and Betsy, 2. Dr. Larsen is a member of the Veterinary Medical Association of Northeastern Wisconsin, WVMA, AVMA, AABP, and the International Academy of Preventive Medicine. His local activities include religious education for high school juniors and seniors, 4-H and the Boy Scouts.

**Dr. James A. Sweeny** joined his brother in an equine-small animal practice in 1970. The Bloomington Veterinary Hospital in Bloomington, Minnesota, has 7 practitioners including Dr. Sweeny and his brother, Dr. W. H. Sweeny (I.S.U. '67). From graduation until 1967, Dr. Sweeny was employed at the Veterinary Medical Center in Greendale, Wisconsin. In 1967 he started his own practice in Brookfield, Wisconsin. Dr. Sweeny and his wife Judy, an ISU graduate in home economics, have one child, Kathleen, who is eight years old.

**Dr. Jephtha F. Randolph** and his family make up a sizable and active portion of the population of Mechanicsville, Iowa. Dr. Randolph has been in practice there since graduation and now operates a busy swine, cow-calf, and feeder cattle practice. Dr. Randolph is a member of the AVMA, IVMA, EIVMA, and the Iowa Academy of Veterinary Practitioners. He is a member of the Lions, and Jaycees and many other community organizations. Dr. Randolph and his wife, Joann, have 7 children, Paul, 8; Madonna, 10; Jephtha, 13; Mellody, 14; Victor, 15; Ritchie, 18; and Monica, 16. The children and Mrs. Randolph are also very busy in community activities.

**Dr. R. W. Kuffel** has been engaged in a mixed practice in Kewanee, Illinois since graduation. His associates are Doctors R. E. Swinderman (O.S.U. '45), and R. F.

Harker (I.S.U. '57). Dr. Kuffel and his wife, Mary, have four children; Scott, 12; Steve 10; Dan, 8; and Mark, 5. He is a member of his county and state veterinary medical associations as well as the AVMA. He is also a member of the American Association of Swine Practitioners.

Dr. David Helland and his wife, Ruby, have two children; Karla, 7, and Kristin, 5. Dr. Helland has a small animal practice in Oak Forest, Ill. Upon leaving the Army in 1966, Dr. Helland attended the graduate school at Kansas State University. From 1968 to 1972 he was at the clinical pathology laboratory at Blue Island, Illinois. He is presently co-owner of the Oak Forest Animal Clinic. Dr. Helland's activities include the AVMA, AAHA, the Chicago Veterinary Medical Association, and the American Society of Veterinary Clinical Pathology. Dr. Helland is also active in many community organizations.

Dr. Lester J. Reschly is a member of the Horton Animal Hospital in Columbia Missouri. His associates are Doctors Jack R. Horton (Mo. '57), John S. Williams (Mo. '72), and Patricia M. Luedders (Calif. '65). Dr. Reschly practiced in Farragut and Red Oak, Iowa, from 1964-1966. In 1968, he received the degree of Master of Science in Veterinary Physiology from Missouri.

Dr. Reschly and his wife, Shirley, have 3 children: Debbie, 20, currently at Goshel College in Indiana, Jay, 18, and Jolene, 8.

Dr. Reschly is President of the Columbia Veterinary Association, vice-president of the West Central Missouri Veterinary Medical Association, and a member of the IVMA, MMA, AVMA, and practitioner affiliate of the AAHA.

Dr. L. D. Hauptmeier is currently practicing in Overton, Nebraska. He will be joined in August by Dr. Robert Larson, (I.S.U. '73). Dr. Hauptmeier has a mixed practice and is a member of his local NVMA, state NVMA and the AVMA. He and his wife, Phyllis, have four children, Becky, 8; Tyler, 4; Sara, 3; and Beth, 1.

Dr. Leland F. Hodoval is currently engaged in a small animal practice with Dr. R. E. Hodoval (I.S.U. '56), in Evansville, Indiana. Dr. Hodoval was stationed at Walter Reed Army Medical Center in Maryland from August, 1964 to August, 1966. From 1966 until 1971 he was an instructor in the Department of Veterinary Physiology at the University of Missouri. He received his M.S. in 1968 in Veterinary Physiology and Ph.D. in Medical Physiology in 1971. Dr. Hodoval is a member of the Indiana VMA, Southwest Indiana VMA and the AVMA. He and his wife, Judy, have 3 children, Dana, 11; Kristin, 8; and Wendy, 4.

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